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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action of September 9, 2004, whose initial period of response is set to expire on December 9, 2004.

Amendments to the Title appear on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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IN THE TITLE:

The title has been amended herein. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121 and 1.125 (as amended to date), please enter the title as amended.

HERMETIC CHIP IN WAFER FORM ~~AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE~~